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1. At the present time it is extremely difficult to find medicines or drugs in Rumania. Only the poorest quality of the simplest drugs are available for purchase.
2. Penicillin is sold in pharmacies only upon presentation of special stamped orders issued by physicians especially empowered to issue such documents. Orders for purchase of penicillin are issued only to persons "in the field of labor" who are recommended by the personnel (cadre) sections of their places of employment.
3. Glycerin has completely disappeared and cannot be purchased. Prescriptions of which it is an ingredient are refused by pharmacies.

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